

DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.63 AND APPOINTMENT OF POWER OF ATTORNEY

As a below-named inventor, I hereby declare the following:

- My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below, next to my name.
- I believe that I am an original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or joint inventor (if more than one name is listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on an invention entitled, "POLYBASIC ACID ESTERS AND THEIR USE IN FIBRE OPTIC CABLES" the specification of which;



is attached hereto

was filed on MARCH 23, 2006

as application no. 10/572,984 is a national phase of
and was amended on PCT/US02/12961 filed

22 March 2006

- I authorize my below-named attorneys/agents to enter in the spaces above, either before or after I have executed this declaration, whether the invention is described and claimed in an attached specification and to provide and enter the filing date and serial number of any corresponding US patent application, if previously filed, as well as the date of any amendment made thereto, without further authorization from me.
- I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.
- I hereby acknowledge my duty to disclose information which may be material to patentability, as defined in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56.
- I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, Sections 119(a)-(d), of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate(s) listed below, and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application upon which priority is claimed:

Foreign Priority Application(s)

Priority Claimed?

(Serial Number)	(Country)	(Filing Date - Month/Day/Year)	(Yes)	(No)
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- I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, Section 120, of any prior U.S. patent application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of the above-referenced specification is not disclosed in the prior U.S. patent application(s) in a manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, Section 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information, as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56, which occurred between the filing date of the prior application(s) and the national or PCT international filing date of the application for patent made upon the above-referenced specification:

Prior Application(s)

Status

(Serial Number)	(Filing Date - Month/Day/Year)	(pending, granted, abandoned)
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- I hereby claim domestic priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, Section 119(e), of any provisional patent application(s) listed below.

Provisional Application(s)

Filing Date

80/288,880

04/27/2001

(Serial Number)

(Month/Day/Year)

(Serial Number)

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(Serial Number)

(Month/Day/Year)

- I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with knowledge that willful false statements and the like are made punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Title 18, United States Code, Section 1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of any application for patent made upon the above-referenced specification, or of any patent issuing therefrom.
- I hereby appoint the individuals associated with the following Customer Number to act as my attorneys/agents, to prosecute and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

USPTO Customer Number 01726

- I hereby request that all communications concerning any application for patent made upon the above-referenced specification be sent to the correspondence address associated with the above-stated Customer Number.

Lloyd A. Nelson
Signature of First Inventor

November 7, 2006
Date

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Signature of Third Inventor
Signature of Third Inventor

Date
Date

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Lloyd A. Nelson and Nancy D. Mosby (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNORS), having mailing addresses of 107 Teakwood Drive, Savannah, Georgia 31410-1626; and 1619 Wilmington Island Road, Savannah, Georgia 31410-4519, respectively, are the joint inventors of an invention entitled, "POLYBASIC ACID ESTERS AND THEIR USE IN FIBRE OPTIC CABLES", as set forth in United States Patent Application No. 60/286,880, which was filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office and accorded a filing date of April 27, 2001;

WHEREAS, ARIZONA CHEMICAL COMPANY (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, and having a mailing address of 4600 Touchton Road, Suite 500, Jacksonville, Florida 32246-8225; is desirous of acquiring ASSIGNORS' entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application, and any letters patents that may be granted therefor or that claim priority thereto in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNORS do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all letters patent that may be granted for said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of ASSIGNEE and to claim priority rights deriving from said United States application to which said foreign applications are entitled by virtue of international convention, treaty or otherwise, specifically including the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it, and to invoke and claim such right of priority without further written or oral authorization from ASSIGNORS, said invention, application and all letters patent on said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNORS had this assignment, transfer and sale not been made. ASSIGNORS hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent on said invention to ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNORS do hereby consent that a copy of this Assignment shall be deemed a full legal and

formal equivalent of any assignment, consent to file, or like document, which may be required in any country for any purpose and, more particularly, in proof of the right of ASSIGNEE or its successors, assigns, nominees or legal representatives to apply for patent or other proper protection for said invention and to claim the aforesaid benefits of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it. ASSIGNORS do hereby agree to execute all instruments and documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United States and foreign letters patent on said invention, including any instruments and documents needed for vesting title thereto in said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, for litigation regarding said letters patent, or for the purpose of protecting title to said invention or letters patent therefor. ASSIGNORS hereby covenant with ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, nominees and legal representative that, to the best ASSIGNORS' knowledge the right, title, and interest herein conveyed by ASSIGNORS is free and clear of any encumbrance, and that ASSIGNORS have the full right to convey the same as expressed herein.

May 25, 2001
Date

L A Nelson
Lloyd A. Nelson

State of Georgia
County of Chatham }

ss.

I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Lloyd A. Nelson is the person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that he signed this instrument and acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Dated May 29, 2001
Signature of
Notary Public Christine M. Collins
Printed Name Christine M. Collins
My appointment expires My Commission Expires June 27, 2004

May 28, 2001
Date

Nancy D. Mosby
Nancy D. Mosby

State of Georgia
County of Chatham

ss.

I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Nancy D. Mosby is the person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that she signed this instrument and acknowledged it to be her free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Dated May 29, 2001

Signature of
Notary Public Christine M. Collins

Printed Name Christine M. Collins

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EMPLOYEE AGREEMENT (INVENTIONS & CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION)

In consideration of my employment (or continuation of such employment) by UNION CAMP CORPORATION (or one of its divisions or subsidiaries), and in consideration of the compensation to be paid me for my services in the course of such employment, I, for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators or other legal representatives and assigns, do hereby agree:

1. That "Company" whenever used in this agreement includes UNION CAMP CORPORATION and/or any of its divisions and subsidiaries.

2. That I will (a) promptly disclose and assign, and do hereby assign to the Company, any and all inventions, discoveries and improvements which I may discover or conceive either solely or jointly with others during the period of my employment (whether or not during usual working hours) and which relate to or are susceptible of use in the business of the Company or are suggested by any work I may do for the Company; (b) disclose promptly any technical data, know-how or information which I may acquire with respect to any matters relating to the Company's business; (c) assist the Company at the Company's expense in obtaining for its benefit patents in the United States and in any and all foreign countries on all such inventions, discoveries and improvements and in enforcing and defending its rights relating to any such patents, inventions, discoveries or improvements; (d) testify on its behalf with respect thereto; and (e) execute all proper papers for use in applying for, obtaining and maintaining such patents, and in maintaining or enforcing the rights of the Company thereunder.

3. That any such inventions, discoveries and improvements and any technical data, information or know-how made, discovered or conceived or acquired by me in the course of my employment and relating to the Company's business (other than information of public knowledge), whether patented or not, are to be and remain the property of the Company.

4. That I will not, without the authorization of the Company, disclose to any person outside of the Company or use at any time (either during or subsequent to my said employment) any trade secrets, technical data or know-how relating to the Company's products, processes, methods, equipment and business practices which I have acquired during my employment until such information shall have become public knowledge.

5. That the foregoing obligations shall survive the termination of my employment and that I will perform all necessary acts to make the agreement effective that on leaving the employ of the Company, I will not take with me, without its consent, any drawings, blueprints, documents or records belonging to the Company, or copies or transcripts thereof, and that at such time or prior thereto on demand, I will turn over to the Company all notebooks, drawings, blueprints, copies, transcripts or other notes, records or material belonging to the Company which are in my possession or under my control.

6. That I have set forth in Schedule A on the reverse side hereof, made a part of this agreement, a list and written description of all inventions, patented or unpatented, if any, owned by me prior to my employment by the Company. These inventions are to be excluded from this agreement.

7. That I have set forth in Schedule B on the reverse side hereof, made a part of this agreement, a list of all agreements with or obligations to other companies or parties which require that I keep secret or confidential any knowledge or information which I acquired from such other company or party. I represent that except as stated on the reverse of this agreement I have no agreements with or obligations to others in conflict with the foregoing provisions of this agreement.

Employee's

Name: Nancy D. Mosby
(To Be Typed)

Employee's

Signature: Nancy D. Mosby

Date:

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Witness: Erne R. Stephens

Original - Retained in Corporate Secretary's File.

Duplicate - Given to new employee for his records.

Triplicate - Retained in individual personnel file and returned to employee upon termination.

Certificate of Merger

of

Union Camp Corporation

into

International Paper Company

(Under Section 905 of the Business Corporation Law)

It is hereby certified by the corporation named herein as the surviving corporation as follows:

FIRST: The Board of Directors of the corporation named herein as the surviving corporation has adopted a plan of merger setting forth the terms and conditions of merging the corporation named herein as the subsidiary corporation into said surviving corporation.

SECOND: The laws of the jurisdiction of incorporation of the corporation named herein as the subsidiary corporation permit a merger of the kind certified herein.

THIRD: The name of the subsidiary corporation to be merged, which was organized under the laws of the State of Virginia, on December 11, 1936, is Union Camp Corporation. The name under which the corporation was formed is Chesapeake-Camp Corporation. The Application for Authority in the State of New York of said corporation to transact business as a foreign corporation therein was filed by the Department of State of the State of New York on July 9, 1956.

FOURTH: The name of the surviving corporation, the certificate of incorporation of which was filed by the Department of State on June 23, 1941, is International Paper Company. The name under which the surviving corporation was formed is International Paper and Power Corporation.

FIFTH: The designation and number of outstanding shares of each class of the subsidiary corporation, all of which are owned by the surviving corporation, as set forth in the plan of merger, are as follows:

DESIGNATION	NUMBER
Common shares, par value \$1.00	100

SIXTH: The merger of the subsidiary corporation into the surviving corporation is authorized under the laws of the jurisdiction of incorporation of the subsidiary corporation and is in compliance therewith.

SEVENTH: The effective date of the merger herein certified, insofar as the provisions of the New York Business Corporation Law govern such effective date, shall be the 30th day of April, 1999.

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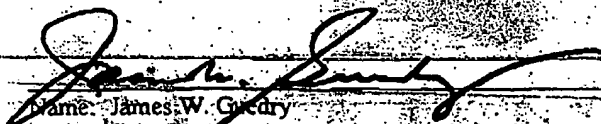
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have subscribed this document on the date set forth below and do hereby affirm, under the penalties of perjury, that the statements contained therein have been examined by us and are true and correct.

Date: April 30, 1999


Name: James W. Gledhill
Title: Vice President, Secretary and Associate General
Counsel of International Paper Company

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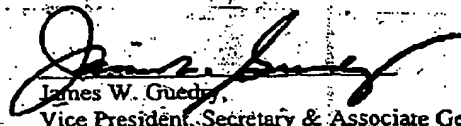
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STATE OF NEW YORK)

) ss:

COUNTY OF NEW YORK)

James W. Guedry, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is one of the persons who signed the foregoing certificate of merger on behalf of the corporation named therein as the surviving corporation; that he signed said certificate in the capacity set beneath or opposite his signature thereon; that he has read the foregoing certificate and knows the contents thereof; and that the statements contained therein are true to his knowledge.

James W. Guedry
Vice President, Secretary & Associate General Counsel

Subscribed and sworn to before me
on April 30, 1999



Notary Public

PHILIP PETTIT
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CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

OF

UNION CAMP CORPORATION

INTO

INTERNATIONAL PAPER COMPANY

Section 905 of the Business Corporation Law

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STATE OF NEW YORK
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